

General Assembly

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Referred to Committee on Insurance and Real Estate

Introduced by: (INS)

AN ACT CONCERNING LOCATIONS WHERE REAL ESTATE COURSES ARE OFFERED.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Section 20-314a of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 2 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2005*):
- 3 (a) The Commissioner of Consumer Protection, with the advice and
- 4 assistance of the commission, may adopt regulations, in accordance
- 5 with chapter 54, relating to the approval of schools offering courses in
- 6 real estate principles and practice and related subjects, or real estate
- 7 student intern programs, the content of such courses or programs and
- 8 the advertising to the public of the services of such schools. Such
- 9 regulations shall not require (1) approval of instructors at such schools,
- 10 or (2) a course to be conducted in a classroom location approved for
- 11 such use by a local fire marshal provided the course is conducted in a
- 12 <u>hotel, restaurant or other public building or a place of public assembly,</u>
- as defined in section 19-13-B105 of the regulations of Connecticut state
- 14 <u>agencies</u>.
- 15 (b) The commission may exempt any applicant for a real estate

- 16 broker's license from the requirements concerning experience under
- 17 the provisions of subsection (d) of section 20-314, if the commission
- determines that such applicant is unable to meet such requirements
- 19 solely because such applicant has been subjected to discrimination
- 20 based on race, creed or color, which discrimination interfered with
- 21 such applicant's ability to meet such requirements.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:

Section 1	October 1, 2005	20-314a

INS Joint Favorable

PS Joint Favorable